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The purpose of this newsletter is to keep the Concordia community up-to-date on new developments in the Libraries. Your questions or comments are most welcome and should be addressed to: Library Letter, Orientation Office, Norris Library, 429-5.

GREETINGS

Unlike, it seems, almost every other area of the University, the Libraries remain more or less comfortably settled in their old locations. Undaunted by our relative immobility, we used the summer months to make further improvements to our collections and services, many of which are described herein.

We are hoping to publish five issues of the Library Letter this year: in September, October, November, February, and March. Having received fair warning, please don't hesitate to let us know what kind of information about the libraries you would like to see more of (or less of, for that matter), and we will do our best to oblige.

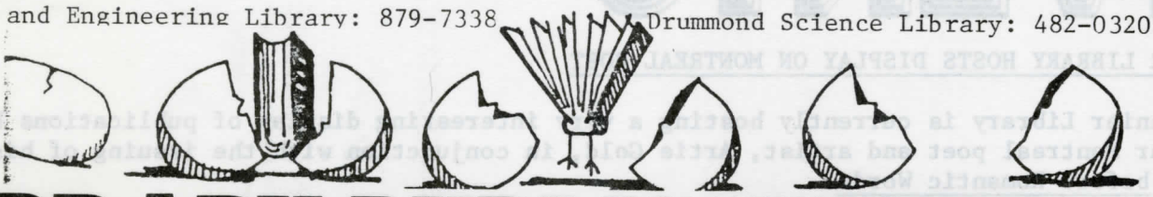
Speaking of information...the 1979-80 Library Owner's Manual should be back from the printer by the end of September and will be available in any Concordia library. All faculty will receive a special information sheet on the libraries with the October issue of this newsletter. In the meantime, direct your questions to a Reference Librarian. The Reference Desk numbers are:

Norris Library: 879-4444

Vanier Library: 482-0320, ext. 372

Science and Engineering Library: 879-7338

Drummond Science Library: 482-0320, ext. 337



LIBRARY PUBLICATIONS

The following new handouts can be picked up in the libraries in which they were produced. For multiple copies of any single publication, phone 879-4523.

- APPLIED SOCIAL SCIENCES: NON-PRINT MATERIALS (Norris Library, Non-Print)
- EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION. Series on Curriculum Lab Materials in the following subjects: (Norris Library, Non-Print)
  - MATH
  - READING
  - SCIENCE
  - MUSIC, ART, AND DANCE
- GEOLOGY: SELECTED REFERENCE SOURCES FOR CONCORDIA (Science and Engineering Library and Drummond Science Library)
- HOW TO WRITE A RESEARCH PAPER (all libraries)
- MANAGEMENT: NON-PRINT MATERIALS (Norris Library, Non-Print)
- PLAYS IN NON-PRINT (Norris Library, Non-Print)
- POETRY IN NON-PRINT: (Norris Library, Non-Print)
- THEATRE ARTS - NON-PRINT MATERIALS (Vanier Library)

- URBAN STUDIES: SELECTED REFERENCE SOURCES (Norris Library, Reference)

ALSO

The Norris Library's Non-Print Room is continuing its popular series of subject-related bibliographies of Non-Print Materials. If you are interested in which non-print items might be used for your subject area, phone 879-8182.

NEW FACILITIES

C.B.C. RADIO DRAMA COLLECTION

Concordia's collection of C.B.C. Radio Drama Scripts is being moved from the Hall Building to the Norris Building. For more information, contact Joy Bennett at 879-4488.

SOCIAL SCIENCES RAND REPORTS MOVED TO NORRIS

The Rand Reports for the Social Sciences have been moved from the Science and Engineering Library to the Norris Library's Government Publications and Microforms Room (Room 531). The Rand Reports which relate to science and engineering continue to be housed in the Science and Engineering Library, H-1031. A copy of Selected Rand Abstracts is available in each library.

CARAMATE 3300 IN NORRIS NON-PRINT

The Singer Caramate 3300 is the newest piece of equipment to arrive in the Norris Library's Non-Print Room. This machine allows for synchronized showing of slides and audiocassettes. Phone 879-8182, or stop by the Non-Print Room on the 4th floor of the Norris Library.

EVENTS

VANIER LIBRARY HOSTS DISPLAY ON MONTREAL POET

The Vanier Library is currently hosting a very interesting display of publications by the popular Montreal poet and artist, Artie Gold, in conjunction with the issuing of his latest book, before Romantic Words.

NON-PRINT TO MEET FACULTY

Because a number of faculty members are still unaware of the wealth of resources available in the Non-Print Area, the Norris Library will be hosting a series of brown bag luncheon meetings for various departments. Phone Elaine Bruce for more information at 879-8115. By the way, it isn't necessary to wait until your turn arrives. Drop in tomorrow - you may find the media package you need for your next lecture.

LIBRARY INSTRUCTION

FACULTY: WILL YOUR STUDENTS BE USING THE LIBRARY TO WRITE A PAPER OR TO RESEARCH A TOPIC?

The Subject Librarians at Concordia offer course-related seminars in library use to both undergraduates and graduate students. Your students will receive instruction in library facilities and services, reference sources, writing term papers, using indexes and abstracts, etc. To contact your subject librarian, see the directory in the Library Owner's Manual, or phone any Reference Desk:

Norris Library: 879-4444

Vanier Library: 482-0320, ext. 372

Science and Engineering Library: 879-7338

Drummond Science Library: 482-0320, ext. 337

THE RESEARCH PAPER MADE EASY: FROM ASSIGNMENT TO COMPLETION

This slide-tape show from the Center for Humanities is an excellent introduction to research and term paper writing. Enquire at the Reference Desk of the Science and Engineering Library, or phone 879-7338.

HOW TO WRITE A RESEARCH PAPER

A library handout describing twelve easy steps, from topic selection through proofreading, accompanied by a selected bibliography of library material on writing a research paper. Available in all libraries, or by phoning 879-4523.

ACQUISITIONS

CHEMISTRY

Organic chemists who are wary of using Beilstein's, should know that help is now available. A slide-tape show entitled, "A Guide to Beilstein's Handbach der Organischen Chemie" is in the Non-Print Room of the Science and Engineering Library. In addition, there is a manual at S.E.L.'s Reference Desk which describes (entirely in English) the organization of this important treatise. The manual includes a mini-dictionary of German, French, and English terminology used in Beilstein's.

Symposia on tapes for physical chemists (Science and Engineering Library):

Milestones in physical chemistry	N-P QD 455 M54+ KIT
Structure and quantum chemistry	N-P QD 455 S87+ KIT
Evolution of magnetic resonance	
Evolution of kinetics	N-P QD 502 E96+ KIT

American Chemical Society audio courses (Science & Engineering Library):

Modern liquid chromatography	N-P QD 79 C454S57+ KIT
Carbon-13 NMR spectroscopy	N-P QD 272 S6L47+ KIT
Principles of heterocyclic chemistry - 1 & 11	N-P QD 400 T39+ KIT
Chemical reaction mechanisms	N-P QD 502 S28+ KIT
ORD & CD in organic & biological chemistry	N-P QD 651 V47+ KIT
Photochemistry of organic molecules	N-P QD 715 T87 KIT

COMMERCE

The Government Publications and Microforms Room of the Norris Library has received about 138 titles from the United States Small Business Administration. The titles are included in the following series:

- Management Aids: dealing with performance, production, borrowing, marketing.
- Small Marketers Aids: concern shoplifting, embezzlement, advertising.
- Small Business Bibliographies: on topics such as retailing, food stores, manufacturing, management.

Inquire on the 5th floor of the Norris Library, or phone 879-4275.

ENGINEERING

Heat Transfer Data Book (Ref TA 357 G4)

The Data Book presents formulas, their limits of validity, equations, references to the literature, numerical examples of calculations, etc. from the following areas of Heat Transfer: numerical methods, conduction in solids - steady state, forced and free convection, radiation, condensation, vaporisation, combined heat-flow phenomena, transient heat flow (basic data), heat exchangers, rotating-surface convection, properties of gases, liquids and solids, standards and constants.

If further information is desired, phone the Science and Engineering Library (879-7338) or Zuzana Jirkovsky (879-4186).

ENGLISH

New in the Layton Collection: Irving Layton and A. Sassu. There Were No Signs. Toronto: Madison Gallery, 1979. A portfolio of 15 poems and prints. The Library owns no.12 of 70 copies.

FINE ARTS

In the Non-Print Room of the Norris Library:

The Arts of Africa	N-P N 7380 A77+ KIT
Medieval Art and Music	N-P N 5970 M42+ KIT

GENERAL

The Government Publications and Microforms Unit of the Norris Library has acquired some interesting publications from the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation. The material includes information on house building, financing, and standards. Phone 879-4275 for further information.

HISTORY

A multi-media kit entitled, Canadian History 1850-1900: Ideas and Activities can be found in the Non-Print Room of the Norris Library. Its call number is: N-P FC 500 C35+ KIT. Phone 879-8182.

LAW

The Government Publications and Microforms Unit (Norris Library) has recently received a number of very important publications from the provincial and federal governments:

- Les lois refondus du Québec 1979- are now available in a loose-leaf format which will be kept up-to-date by inserts forwarded by the Government. The laws are now classified according to an alpha-numeric system and are listed in a table of contents.

- The consolidated regulations of Canada, 1978, are available in an 18 volume paperback set. A 2 volume index set is expected soon.

- La gazette officielle du Québec - Laws and Regulations, part 2 (in English) has been acquired from January, 1979. Issues for 1978 will be received in the near future.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION, SPORTS, RECREATION

The Drummond Science Library now has indexes to material in physical education. They include: Physical Education Sports Index, Physical Education Index, and Sport and Recreation Index. These indexes will make it easier to find periodical articles, and should prove a valuable asset to those doing research in this area.

THEATRE ARTS

New plays on phonodiscs at the Vanier Library Non-Print Area:

All's well that ends well	Doll's house
Comedy of errors	Duchess of Malfi
Cymbeline	Enemy of the people

URBAN STUDIES

Federal government publications from the Department of Transport, Urban Transportation Research Branch have arrived in the Norris Library. The titles deal with various aspects of public transportation in Canadian urban centres. Enquire at the Government Publications and Microforms Unit, Norris Library, Room 531, or phone 879-4275.

REMINDERS

FROM INTERLIBRARY LOANS

Are you planning research requiring extensive use of materials not available in Montreal-area libraries? If so, you are invited to phone or visit the Interlibrary Loans Office to discuss how this material might best be obtained. You are welcome to contact any of the following individuals:

James Tallon, Interlibrary Loans Librarian
879-4309 Norris 413-8

Maria Murphy, Interlibrary Loans Supervisor, Loyola Campus
482-0320, ext. 430 Vanier Library 322

Rosalie Taylor, Interlibrary Loans Supervisor, Sir George Williams Campus
879-4311 Norris 413-9

Request forms for materials not available in Concordia Libraries can be picked up and deposited at any Reference Desk. Loans should be picked up on campus where request was despoited.

THESES FROM UNIVERSITY MICROFILMS (DISSERTATION ABSTRACTS) can now be ordered by telephone, toll free. If you have a credit card, or if you are on the faculty or administrative staff, the number to phone is:

800-268-6090

LOANS POLICY CHANGE IN NORRIS LIBRARY NON-PRINT ROOM

The loan period for multi-media kits has been extended from 3 days to one week.

FROM THE THEATRE ARTS LIBRARIAN

Are you suffering from aches and pains because you can't find a play in the Concordia Libraries? In the Vanier Library's Reference Collection, we have a number of play indexes which will help you to track down plays in anthologies and periodicals. I will be glad to help you out. Contact: Marvin Orbach at 482-0320, ext. 488.

FROM THE SPECIAL COLLECTIONS LIBRARIAN

The Special Collections Room will be open for browsing every Thursday from 10:00 a.m. through 1:00 p.m. starting September 20, 1979. Everyone welcome. Phone 879-4488 for details.

THANKSGIVING HOURS

The Concordia Libraries will provide normal service on Saturday and Sunday, October 6th and 7th, 1979. On Monday, October 8, all Concordia Libraries will be open with Circulation Services from 1 p.m. through 9 p.m. For information on other services, phone 879-5891.